

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of the Claims:

Claim 1 (Previously presented) A display and dispensing assembly for use in combination with a freezer cabinet which has an internal temperature T1, said display and dispensing assembly comprising

- (a) a housing located externally of the freezer cabinet
- (b) a chamber within the housing in which products can be stored and from which they can be dispensed, said products being stored at a temperature of T2 which is higher than T1
- (c) first heat transfer means within the housing
- (d) said display and dispensing assembly further including second heat transfer means which may be placed inside the freezer cabinet and
- (e) means for circulating a heat transfer fluid through the first and second heat transfer means,

and wherein the assembly is removable from the freezer cabinet and cooled by the heat transfer fluid, the second heat transfer means being connected to the first heat transfer means by tubes that pass over a side wall of the freezer cabinet .

Claim 2 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 1 wherein the first heat transfer means comprises pipework around the chamber through which the heat transfer fluid is pumped.

Claim 3 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 1 wherein the second heat transfer means is connected to the first heat transfer means by flexible tubes that pass over a side wall of the freezer cabinet.

Claim 4 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 1 wherein the second heat transfer means comprises pipework housed around a casing of a thermally conductive material.

Claim 5 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 4 wherein the casing contains a eutectic material.

Claim 6 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 5 wherein the eutectic material has a freezing point in the range -10 to -17°C .

Claim 7 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 1 wherein the temperature T_1 is less than -16°C .

Claim 8 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 7 wherein the temperature T_1 is less than -10°C .

Claim 9 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 1 wherein the temperature T_2 is in the range -2° to -15° .

Claim 10 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 9 wherein the temperature T_2 is in the range -6° to -12°C .

Claim 11 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 1 wherein the temperature T2 is in the range +2° to +8°C.

Claim 12 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 11 wherein the temperature T2 is around +4°C.

Claim 13 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 1 wherein the display and dispensing assembly can be returned and repositioned adjacent to the freezer cabinet after being removed and consistent with consumer demand for product.

Claim 14 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 1 wherein the display and dispensing assembly does not have its own refrigeration means.

Claim 15 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as claimed in claim 1 wherein the housing has an adjustable foot.

Claim 16 (Previously presented) A display and dispensing assembly for use in combination with a freezer cabinet which has an internal temperature T1, said display and dispensing assembly comprising

- (a) a housing located externally of the freezer cabinet
- (b) a chamber within the housing in which products can be stored and from which they can be dispensed, said products being stored at a temperature of T2 which is higher than T1
- (c) first heat transfer means comprising pipework within the housing

- (d) second heat transfer means comprising pipework intended to be placed inside the freezer cabinet
- (e) means for circulating a heat transfer fluid through the first and second heat transfer means,

and wherein the assembly is removable from the freezer cabinet and cooled by a heat transfer fluid that is pumped external to the freezer cabinet.

Claim 17 (Previously presented) The display and dispensing assembly as recited in claim 1, wherein the second heat transfer means is connected to the first heat transfer means by flexible tubes which pass over a sidewall of the freezer cabinet and wherein the second heat transfer means comprises pipework housed around a casing of a thermally conductive material.

Claim 18 (New) A display and dispensing assembly in combination with a freezer cabinet which has an internal temperature T_1 , said display and dispensing assembly comprising

- (a) a housing located externally of the freezer cabinet
- (b) a chamber within the housing in which products can be stored and from which they can be dispensed, said products being stored at a temperature of T_2 which is higher than T_1
- (c) first heat transfer means within the housing
- (d) second heat transfer means placed inside the freezer cabinet
- (e) means for circulating a heat transfer fluid through the first and second transfer means,

and wherein the assembly is removable from the freezer cabinet.

19. (New) The display and dispensing assembly of claim 18 wherein the housing is free standing.

20. (New) The display and dispensing assembly of claim 18 wherein the housing is hung over the side of the freezer cabinet.

21. (New) The display and dispensing assembly of claim 1 wherein the housing is free standing.

22. (New) The display and dispensing assembly of claim 1 wherein the housing is hung over the side of the freezer cabinet.

23. (New) The display and dispensing assembly of claim 18 wherein the freezing cabinet is external to the housing.